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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For: DATA TRANSFER CONTROL DEVICE AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENTDirector of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

17. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:
the data transfer control device as defined in claim 1;
a device which performs given processing on data that has been received from another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and
a device which outputs or stores data that has been subjected to processing.
18. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:
a data transfer control device as defined in claim 5;
a device which performs given processing on data that has been received from another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and
a device which outputs or stores data that has been subjected to processing.
19. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:
the data transfer control device as defined in claim 9;
a device which performs given processing on data that has been received from another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and
a device which outputs or stores data that has been subjected to processing.
20. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:
a data transfer control device as defined in claim 1;
a device which performs given processing on data that is to be transferred to another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and